



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 10, 2004

Sir:

Prior to initial examination of the application, please amend the above-identified application as follows. This Preliminary Amendment complies with the amendment format as set forth in 68 Fed. Reg. 38611 dated June 30, 2003.

Amendments to the drawings are submitted on page 2.

Remarks are submitted on page 3.

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Attached herewith is a Request for Approval of New Drawing, wherein Figure 8 is added. Substitute Figures 1-7 are also included, but are essentially identical to original Figures 1-7 except for sheet numbering, which has been changed to reflect the addition of Figure 8.